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## Talking About CLOTHING

Do you know that there is a vast difference in the make up, lining, sewing and general finish of clothing.

There is the "made to sell" kind, pretty patterns, gaudy linings, but there's no satisfaction in the wear; it is made in a hurry by underpaid labor, just "made to sell."

Then there's the "made to wear" kind, properly shrunk, plain but strong linings, the "vitals," or inside paddings, properly adjusted, sewed with silk, made by skilled labor and sold on honor.

The "made to wear" kind costs a little more than the "made to sell" kind, but, dear me, it is ever so much better.

We sell the made to wear kind.



## SOME MORE NEW BOOKS.

IN THE FOG.....Richard Harding Davis  
AUDREY.....Mary Johnston  
THE FIFTH STRING.....Souza  
THE SIGN OF THE PROPHET.....Naylor  
LAZARUS.....Mary Hartwell Catherwood  
SYLVIA.....Evelyn Emerson

They are the leaders. \$1.25.

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## ABOUT COFFEE

The Best Brand of Coffee is  
"WHITE HOUSE" Mocha and Java  
For Sale only by

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QUEEN



PRINCESS

Of course I sell Hats. My Stock is absolutely new and complete. The very latest shapes and shades are now at your service. They are not sold at cost, but you cannot duplicate them in Astoria or Portland for the same money.



MASCOT

It costs you no more to dress in style if you buy of the leading clothier

**P. A. STOKES.**

## CHAMBERLAIN FOR GOVERNOR

Democrats Nominated Him For That Office Last Night At 9:30.

### ADJOURNED UNTIL TODAY

Philippine Plank Caused Wrangling Among Platform Makers But Finally Adopted.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 10.—The Democratic state convention met in this city at 11 o'clock this morning, effected permanent organization, adopted platform, nominated George E. Chamberlain of Portland for governor by acclamation, and at 9:30 tonight adjourned until tomorrow, when the ticket will be completed.

E. R. Skipworth, of Lane County, was temporary chairman, and A. D. Stillman, of Umatilla, permanent chairman.

The platform committee was in session from noon until tonight, principal cause for protracted session being the Philippine plank. The committee was composed of 33 members, one from each county in the state. After a lengthy discussion the Philippine plank was unanimously agreed upon by the committee and was adopted by the convention without a dissenting vote or a word of discussion. J. P. Wager, of Portland, nominated Chamberlain for governor and he was declared the unanimous choice of the convention with a tremendous hurrah.

### THE PLATFORM.

Following is a synopsis of the platform adopted:  
The platform favors tariff for revenue only and opposes any protection whatever to trusts, combines and corporations with which the Republican party is in an iniquitous alliance. It favors placing on the free list all trust made articles of every kind.

On the Philippine question the platform says:  
Inhabitants of the Philippines have petitioned for free trade with the United States and a request has been seconded by the Philippine commission, and is the sentiment of the American people, yet a Republican congress refuses any proper relief but exacts tariff law for these islands which is more burdensome and less defensible than acts of the British parliament, against which our forefathers rebelled.

The policy that makes one law for the Hawaiian Islands, another for Porto Rico and another for the Philippines, cannot be upheld on any ground except that of subservience to the sugar and tobacco trusts.  
Our insular possessions are either a part of our country or are foreign territory. If part of our territory, the people are entitled to trade privileges there as are granted to any of our territories. We believe that the true policy is to prepare people of those islands for self-government as speedily as possible, and when so prepared, to grant them independence, retaining such coaling stations and ports as may be necessary to protect those islands from foreign interference, and to maintain our trade relations in the Orient.

The platform demands the passage of the Mitchell-Kahn Chinese exclusion bill, and legislation to restrict the immigration of Japanese labor; favors the election of United States senators by popular vote; initiative and referendum system; speedy construction of the Nicaragua canal, and the creation by congress of a department of labor in charge of a secretary entitled to a seat in the cabinet. It opposes leasing public domain to individuals or corporations, and the ship subsidy bill now before congress, and declares against any such combinations of competing railroads as was made in the formation of the Northern Securities Company. The platform demands the improvement of the Columbia River from the mouth to the head

of navigation, and declares stringently in favor of an economical administration of state affairs.

### WARM BATTLE WITH OUTLAWS.

Five of Sheriff's Party Killed—An Escaped Murderer Captured.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 10.—In a battle between the sheriff's posse and outlaws in Scott County, Va., this afternoon, five members of the sheriff's posse were killed, two others wounded, and Jim Wright, an escaped murderer, shot and captured.

### HOGG GIVES DINNER.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Governor Hogg, who has been in England for some time and sailed on Wednesday for New York on board the Teutonic, entertained a dinner party at the Carlton, says a Herald dispatch from London.

The American, German and Russian ambassadors were among the guests, as well as Lord Claude Hamilton and Viscount Derhurst.

## IS HOMEWARD BOUND

THE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY LEAVE SUNNY SOUTH.

Visited Old Spanish Fort and a Tea Farm Yesterday.—Left Under Cheers.

SUMMERVILLE, S. C., April 10.—The visit of President Roosevelt and party to the South terminated here today. The president was taken to Dorchester, the site of the old Spanish fort. The tea farm of Dr. Shephard was next visited. The party was then driven to the station and the train pulled out for Washington amid cheers of an immense crowd which had gathered at the station.

### SOCIALISTS GET GAY.

Destroy Property and Battle With Authorities.

BRUSSELS, April 10.—A Socialist meeting this evening Socialist deputies advised workmen to be prepared for a general strike next Tuesday. After the meeting the Socialists paraded the streets, smashing windows of churches and cafes, firing revolvers and singing revolutionary songs. There were several collisions with the police and civic guards, who were forced to use bayonets. Over 30 persons were wounded, including women and children.

### 400,000 FOR COLUMBIA RIVER.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The senate committee on commerce today completed the river and harbor bill, numerous amendments being added and appropriations increased \$3,693,172. Among the items of increase is the Columbia River canal at The Dalles, Oregon and Washington, \$400,000.

### BISHOP O'GORMAN MEETS ROOT.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Bishop O'Gorman of Sioux Falls, S. D., today had a short talk with Secretary Root with relation to present and future status of the church in the insular possessions of the United States.

## Spring Shoes

New Goods Just Arrived  
The Latest Styles

WARRANTED VALUE IN EVERY PAIR.

BOSTON RUBBER BOOTS

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FINE REPAIRING 543 BOND ST  
Opposite Ross, Higgins & Co.

## IS IT PEACE FOR THE BOERS?

Dispatches to a London Paper State Terms Have Been Arranged.

### THE BOER AGENT NOTIFIED

Besides General Botha, Commander of Transvaal, Generals Dewet and De la Rey Were There.

LONDON, April 10.—The Financier and Bullionist publishes a dispatch that Boer leaders have accepted British terms, that peace has been arranged and that terms of peace have been cabled to the Boers' agent in Europe.

Other unconfirmed statements of a similar character are in circulation in London tonight. It is said that Rutherford B. Harris, ex-secretary of the British South Africa Company, has received information to the same effect, but no reliable information concerning the matter is obtainable.

The Central News is informed that a telegram was received in London this morning from Pretoria, saying that Steyn, DeWet and Botha had agreed upon terms of peace. The telegram indicates that the British terms have been accepted and that peace has been arranged.

PRETORIA, April 9.—Pres. Steyn, of the Orange Free State, secretary of the state reit, of the Transvaal; Acting President Schalkburger, of the Transvaal, and General Lucas Meyer, commander-in-chief of the Orange Free State forces, passed through Kroonstad, Orange Free State, Sunday, April 7, on their way to Klerksdorp, Southwestern Transvaal, where General Botha, the Transvaal commander-in-chief arrived Monday, April 7. It is expected that Generals DeWet and De la Rey will attend the conference to take place there. It is understood that the Boer leaders are fully possessed of the British peace terms, and the conference then assembling was to enable the leaders to thoroughly discuss those terms. It is expected that the final decision of the burghers will shortly be made.

### EDITOR ARRESTED.

Editor of Manila Paper Charged With Sedition.

MANILA, April 10.—Excitement prevails here on account of the arrest of the editor and proprietor of Freedom, a local publication, charged with sedition in publishing an article from an American periodical to which the editor of Freedom agreed. He also added remarks of his own, censuring the United States commission's rule. The main charges made were that in many cases Filipino officeholders are rascals and that the commission has exalted to the highest positions Filipinos who are notoriously corrupt.

### SCHOONER CAPTAIN DROWNED.

Also Man Drowned in Coast Fork of Willamette.

EUGENE, Ore., April 10.—Report comes from Florence that Captain Anderson of the schooner Lizzie Prehn, was drowned in Stuslaw Bay last Friday night.

Just been learned that Michael Romino was down in the Coast Fork of the Willamette River, near Cloverdale, a few days ago. In fording the river the horses and man were drowned.

### WILL RETIRE FROM BUSINESS.

Beggar Worth Over \$12,000 to Give Others a Chance.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Tender-hearted persons in the Harlem police court were shocked when Francisco Gorgia, an aged, shriveled and miserable looking Italian organ grinder, was fined \$5 for begging. The white haired old man looked appealingly about the room, and from long habit, put his hand out but quickly recovering him-

## THE ELECTION OF SENATORS

Depew Opposes the Resolution to Elect Them By Popular Vote.

### SERVED NOTICE ON SOUTH

Chinese Exclusion Bill Meets Considerable Opposition in Senate—Reciprocity Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—An effort was made in the senate to obtain an agreement for a vote on the Chinese exclusion bill, but it was unsuccessful.

The measure was under discussion during the entire session today except for about an hour, in which time the postoffice appropriation bill was passed. Three speeches were made against the Chinese bill in its present form, Dillingham concluding his remarks, and Stewart and Hoar stating their objections to the bill. Stewart favored the exclusion of Chinese laborers but was opposed to many of the bill's provisions. Hoar announced vigorous opposition to the bill.

Early in the session Depew spoke briefly against the adoption of the resolution providing for the election of senators by popular vote. In effect he served notice on those states which had limited their suffrage that if the resolution was enacted, demand would be made on them to accord all their citizens the right to vote, or suffer loss of representatives in congress.

### RECIPROCITY.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The debate on the Cuban reciprocity bill in the house today was devoid of enlightening features. Most notable speech of the day was made by Grosvenor, of Ohio.

He answered critics who have charged him with inconsistency, by saying that reciprocity was sound Republican doctrine and that tariff schedules were not sacred. He predicted that the time would come when there would be an inexorable demand for revision of present rates.

Prince, of Illinois, made a strong speech against the measure.

### RAILROAD FIREMAN KILLED.

WALLACE, Ida., April 10.—This morning while Fireman U. S. World was under his engine some cars struck the rear end of his train, running the tender over his chest, killing him instantly.

### SANTOS DUMONT COMING.

NEW YORK, April 10.—Wireless telegraphy dispatches from the steamer Deutschland passing Nantuxet, R. I. shortly after midnight bore greetings from Santos Dumont, the Brazilian aerial navigator, who comes to this country to confer with the Louisiana Purchase Exposition officials.

## SOMETHING NEW!

## The Firefly Gas Lighter

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No Matches Needed.

Press the Button and the Machine Does the Rest  
Saves Time. Saves Matches.

Saves Your Patience.

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